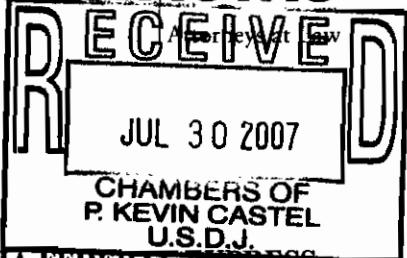


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Re: Isha Western v. Ameripath, Inc. et al
07 Civ. 6247 (PKC)

Dear Judge Castel:

We represent Defendant, Ameripath, Inc. in the above-entitled action brought by Isha Western ("Plaintiff"). Although Tonya Oaks is listed as a Plaintiff in this action, her case remains with the District Court in Texas.

We submit this letter pursuant to Rules 21 and 22 of the Local Rules for the Division of Business Among District Judges to respectfully request that this case be reassigned from New York City to White Plains.

Defendant Ameripath, Inc.'s local office where Plaintiff was assigned is located in Port Chester, New York. Plaintiff was employed by Ameripath New York, Inc. All of the material facts asserted in the Complaint allegedly occurred in the Port Chester branch although Plaintiff did have sales territory in Rockland, New Jersey, Staten Island and Manhattan. To the best of Defendant's knowledge, potential witnesses identified by Plaintiffs in their Complaint either currently work or worked at the Port Chester office. Plaintiff is a resident of New Jersey.

Maintaining this action in New York City would impose an undue burden on Defendant, as well as all the non-party witnesses in this matter. Therefore, consistent with Rules 21 and 22, we respectfully request this matter be officially transferred to the District Court sitting in White Plains.

A copy of this correspondence has today been sent to Plaintiff's counsel. Thank you for your attention to this request.

Plaintiff or plaintiff's
counsel is directed to respond
to defendant Ameripath's letter of
July 27 no later than
August 20, 2007.

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cc: John A. Craner, Esq.

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SO ORDERED.

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